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Re: Comments of Pappas Telecasting of America
MM Docket No. 01-44
RM-10022
Derby, Kansas

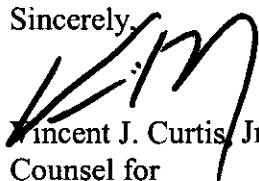
Dear Ms. Dortch:

Transmitted herewith, on behalf of Pappas Telecasting of America, are an original and four copies of its Comments.

Please date stamp the extra enclosed copy and return it to the undersigned.

Should any questions arise concerning this matter, please communicate with the undersigned.

Sincerely,


Vincent J. Curtis, Jr.
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Enclosure

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Amendment of Section 73.622(b)
Table of Allotments
Digital Television Broadcast Stations.
(Derby, Kansas)

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Directed to: Chief, Video Division
Media Bureau

COMMENTS

Comes now Pappas Telecasting of America ("Pappas"), by its attorneys, and respectfully submits its Comments in support of the above-captioned proceeding. In support thereof, the following is stated:

Pappas, as the proponent, continues to support the allocation of DTV Channel 46 at Derby, Kansas. Pappas confirms that should the Commission allot DTV Channel 46 as requested, it will file the appropriate application and, if granted, will timely construct the station.

Respectfully submitted,
PAPPAS TELECASTING OF AMERICA

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I, Suzanne E. Thompson, a secretary in the law firm of Fletcher, Heald & Hildreth, P.L.C., do hereby certify that a true copy of the Comments of Pappas Telecasting of America was sent this 30th day of September 2002, by e-mail and hand delivery, to the following:

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